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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Gerhard Dittich
Appl. No. : 09/862,902
Filed : May 23, 2001
Customer No. : 23364
Docket No. : DITT3001/FJD
TC/A.U. : 3621
Examiner : C. O. Sher
Title : METHOD FOR PROVIDING MEASURED VALUES
FOR END CUSTOMERS

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicants request that the period for response to the outstanding official action in this case be extended pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136 (a) for TWO (2) months to May 9, 2004.

The fee set in 37 CFR 1.17(a)(2) for a two month extension of time is \$420.00 and a check in this amount is submitted herewith. Please charge any additional fee required for this extension to Deposit Account No. 02-0200. A duplicate copy of this paper is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

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(PENDING)

Due Date: May 9, 2004 Sunday

Serial 09/862,802

Filed: May 23, 2001

Attorney: DITIT3001/FFD

Applicant(s): Gerhard DITTRICH

Due Date: May 9, 2004 (SUNDAY)

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Special Instructions:

The PTO stamp hereon acknowledges receipt of:

☒ Response to Office Action of December 9, 2003☒ Petition for Extension of Time 2 month☒ Check \$ 420.00 - check #39812

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